

Brecon Beacons National Park

Forecast valid from 06:00 on Saturday 31 Oct 2020 until 23:59 on Sunday 01 Nov 2020

Forecast Issued on Saturday 31 Oct 2020 at 03:53

Confidence: High for some very wet and windy conditions for a few days then settling down towards midweek.
Lower for shower detail in the transition.

Headline for Saturday 31 Oct 2020: Cloudy with rain, heavy at times, with severe southerly gales. Brightening in the afternoon to sunny interludes and the odd shower and winds gradually decreasing.

Mountain weather hazards on Saturday 31 Oct 2020

Blizzards

No Likelihood

Gales

High Likelihood

Thunderstorms

No Likelihood

Heavy Snow

No Likelihood

Severe chill effect

High Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain

High Likelihood

Storm force winds

Low Likelihood

Poor visibility

High Likelihood

Strong sunlight

No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 600m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
					
Heavy Rain	Heavy Rain	Light rain	Light rain showers	Cloudy	Light rain
Precipitation probability					
>95%	>95%	70%	30%	30%	40%

Forecast for Saturday 31 Oct 2020

Weather: Further rain this morning, heavy at times. The rain will become very heavy late morning before clearing to the east around midday, brightening up to sunshine and one or two passing light showers. A few showers in the evening before thicker cloud and more general rain returns towards midnight.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 600m: Little chance in the morning with widespread cloud at 450-600m, some lower patches over southern exposures, and limited gaps in shelter north of the hills. Then chances improving to 80% or more during the afternoon as the cloud lifts and breaks. Some hill fog returning late evening.

Visibility: Poor in the morning in heavy rain and mist then improving markedly to mainly good. Starting to reduce late evening.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)				Wind Direction (blowing from)		
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	41/50 S	40/53 S	32/45 SW	26/37 SW	23/33 SW	19/27 SW	22/32 S
300	22/45 S	23/48 S	20/39 SW	17/34 SW	15/31 SW	11/24 SW	13/27 SW
Valley	17/41 S	20/46 S	17/37 SW	15/33 W	13/30 W	10/25 SW	12/27 SW

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	10/5	11/6	8/2	7/1	6/0	6/1	5/-0
300	12/8	13/9	10/7	9/6	8/4	8/5	7/4
Valley	12/10	14/10	11/8	10/7	9/6	9/6	8/5
Freezing Level*	2900m	3000m	1700m	1300m	1200m	1200m	1300m

*Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.

Meteorologist's View

A very poor couple of days to come with rivers in spate and some flooding affecting access roads and car parks.

Recent rainfall: measured at Neuadd: altitude 353m

Recorded at	Last 24 hours:	Last 48 hours:	Last 72 hours:
03:00 on Sat 31 Oct 2020	13.8mm	35mm	47mm

Forecast for Sunday 01 Nov 2020

Weather: Cloudy with further periods of rain, heavy at times.

Maximum wind: Southwesterly 40-50mph gusts 60-70mph

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 600m: Very little chance

Visibility: Poor, briefly good in shelter at lower levels in any drier interludes.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 9 Celsius in early hours rising to Plus 14 in the afternoon and falling little in the evening.
At 600m: Plus 5 Celsius in early hours rising to Plus 10 during the day and rising a little in the evening.
Freezing level: Above the summits.